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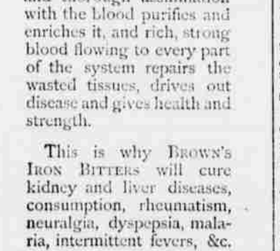

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POETICAL.

ON KINGSTON BRIDGE.

On All Souls' Night the dead walk on Kingston Bridge.—Old Legend.

On Kingston Bridge the starlight shone
Through hurrying mists with shrouded glow:
The boding night-wind made its moan,
The mighty river crept below;
'Twas All Souls' Night, and to and fro
The quick and dead together walked,
The quick and dead together talked,
On Kingston Bridge.

Two met who had not met for years—
Their hate was once too deep for tears;
One drew his rapier as he came—
Up leaped his anger like a flame;
With clash of mail he faced his foe,
And bade him stand and meet him so.
He felt a grave-yard wind go by—
Cold, cold as was his enemy;
A stony horror held him fast.
The Dead looked with a ghastly stare,
And sighed, "I know thee not," and passed
Like to the mist and left him there
On Kingston Bridge.

'Twas All Souls' Night, and to and fro
The quick and dead together walked,
The quick and dead together talked,
On Kingston Bridge.

Two met who had not met for years;
With grief that was too deep for tears
They parted last.
He clasped her hand, and in her eyes
He sought Love's rapturous surprise.
"O Sweet!" he cried, "hast thou come back
To say thou lov'st thy lover still?"
Into the starlight pale and cold
She gazed afar—her hand was chill
"Dost thou remember how we kept
Our ardent vigils?—how we kissed?
Take thou these kisses as of old!"
An icy wind about him swept;
"I know thee not," she sighed, and passed
Into the dim and shrouding mist
On Kingston Bridge.

'Twas All Souls' Night, and to and fro
The quick and dead together walked,
The quick and dead together talked,
On Kingston Bridge.

SELECT STORY.

ADA CARFIT.

Ada Carfit was decidedly the belle of Sharborough: and as that small but bustling Midland town had a reputation among its neighbors for lovely lasses, the distinction was a great one.

In figure, the girl was somewhat small and slight; but in feature she had attained almost to perfection, both of outline and tint.

She had a lofty, well proportioned brow, around which rippled rich waves of auburn hair.

She had eyes of dreamy blue, checks just sufficiently tinged with delicate carmine to throw into relief the pearly whiteness of her teeth.

The worst of it was, she knew that she was beautiful, and the knowledge spoiled her.

Ada was the only child of a wealthy Sharborough manufacturer, and added to her other charms that of being an heiress.

Naturally she had suitors not a few.

But ladies Clara Vere de Vere can exist in much lower circles than that of the poet's faulty heroine, and Ada Carfit had caught the vice of a proud coquetry.

She relished her power over susceptible hearts and she did her best to extend it.

The breath of homage was a life to her.

She led her wooers gently on till the toils were all around them, and then, of a sudden, they found an impalpable, impassable barrier erected, and Ada's smiles were for new comers.

It was an amusement, half the zest of being, to her; she never wasted an anxious thought on what it might mean to her victims.

Men were strong and must protect themselves.

The last to enter the charmed circle had been a youth from the North, who in appearance and manners was certainly at a disadvantage with those whom he quickly came to consider his rivals.

Roger Herlestone was two-and-twenty; but his thick-set, burly figure, and his abundance of beard, made him look years older.

He was heavy in feature, uncertain in movements and awkward in address.

As the nephew of Mr. Marston, of Marston & Marsh, cotton-mill owners, his prospects were very good.

But the knowledge of this fact somehow failed to give him the needed self-confidence.

Roger's many blunders made him to a large extent the butt of his male acquaintance, and it was probably this that caused Ada Carfit, out of sheer opposition, to treat him with marked favor.

Philip Dare, the lawyer, had likened Rogers to the proverbial "bull in a china shop:" and Philip Dare should be made to bite his lip with vexation at her deference to the despised one.

But once again she was kind only to be cruel.

"I cannot tell whether she cares for me, or whether she does not," said Roger Herlestone to his younger brother, Martin. "Sometimes I think one thing and sometimes another. But this I am sure of, she is all the world to me."

"Then I'd ask her, old fellow."

"But—but—she has always so many around her. Ada Carfit is the queen of a large circle, and I—"

Have been the best of sons, the best of brothers, and I have no doubt, would make the best of husbands."

"And I," said Roger, rusuming slowly, and paying no heed to this enthusiastic praise, "am a rough and homely man, who has almost as good a right to dream of becoming Prime Minister as of winning such a wife.

"Nonsense, Roger! Don't be so unnecessarily modest. You are just as good as she, and the girl must know it."

"Then," and the elder's tone changed suddenly; "I'll put it to the test and see. If Ada refuses me, it will be just another dream dispelled, and I shall face the worst."

The opportunity soon came.

The two were thrown much together at a summer picnic party, and some malign genius made Ada more than ever gracious.

It semed to her that she had succeeded in thawing the ice of her admirer's awkwardness, and the studied compliments he paid her awoke the gleam of a sunny, satisfied smile.

She little suspected the commotion that was was working beneath the surface.

They had wandered out of sight and hearing of the rest, on pretence of examining some curiously shaped rocks.

"How still the air is, under the sun!" said Ada stopping at a low fence that crossed the hillside.

For a moment her companion did not answer, and she cast a casual glance upwards at his face.

What Ada saw there made her start and slightly shiver.

"Yes," he said with a hoarse and mighty effort, "this is just the turn of the seasons, and this hush is very frequent and suggestive then. You and I have come to a turning point, too, Miss Carfit, and I must break the stillness by a very important question. Can you not guess what this is—the story I have to tell, Miss Carfit—Ada?"

"No, no. We had better return, I think. We shall be lost, Mr. Herle stone."

Ada was keeping her composure wonderfully, and she hoped by this coldly spoken hint the confession she feared might be averted.

She did not know the speaker.

"Wait an instant, Ada," Roger cried, abandoning the last shelter of reserve; "I have this to tell, that you are more to me than anyone else in the wide world can ever be. I love you, Ada—surely you must have divined it! Can you love me back again, however little? Will you some day be my wife?"

His words were coming swiftly enough now, and his beseeching eyes emphasized their truth.

The man was transformed and a faint response of admiration was raised in the girl's heart.

But he was—could be—no more than others she had rejected.

This triumph she was used to, and gloried in; though usually she had been better on her guard, and had stopped the deluded one before this stage was reached.

"I am sorry, Mr. Herlestone, you have said such things," she replied; "I thought you were above romance. That is partly why I trusted you. You seemed so—so sensible."

"It must surely be a sign of that to admire and to love."

"Pray don't, Mr. Herlestone. It is all a mistake, I assure you."

"A mistake that you can ever care for me?"

"Yes, certainly."

There was a levity about the assurance that stung the young man well nigh into madness.

He had heard of the girls heartlessness, and had paid no heed, treating them as idle scandal born of envy.

Now he could believe.

The very reality of his own love revealed the hollowness of this maiden's smiles.

"Is it also an error that encouraged me to think differently?" he asked; "that you accept my advances!"

"It was your own fault; you did as you pleased. But you are forgetting yourself now, Mr. Herlestone."

"I admit it, and I apologize, Miss Carfit," he replied, bitterly. "It was truly my own fault that I did not understand. I do now. You will let me see you back to the party?"

The return walk was whiled away by a very constrained conversation and both were glad when it was over.

A strange silence descended upon Ada Carfit for the rest of the afternoon.

Even the mirth of her other courtiers failed to do more than galvanize her into an outward semblance of interest and good-humor.

II.

It was many months later, and the storms of, perhaps, the wildest winter within living memory had descended upon these Northern Midlands:

For day after day and week after week, there was scarcely a break in the clouds or a pause in the gale.

Wind and rain, wind and rain was the dreary record, until the lakes were swollen, the streams impassable, and miles of low-lying pasture-land submerged.

Sharborough was not a pleasant place under such circumstances.

Upon the very brighest heavens its huge manufacturing chimneys hung a yellow blot; and now the funeral like pall of fog and smoke lowered overhead in a perpetual frown.

Ada Carfit grew sick of it, and betook herself on a visit to her uncle at Baysditch, five miles away.

There it rained still, it is true, and seemed likely to rain.

But Baysditch was in the open country, and behind it were the Porley Hills.

The girl was better content, and could grumble there with a sense of less oppression.

Of Roger Herlestone, since her dismissal of him, she had seen very little.

He was grown graver and more reticent it appeared, than ever.

And he had been taken in as a junior partner by Marston & Marsh.

That was all she new.

But somehow he had frequently haunted her.

He had looked so resolute and manly on those Porley Downs.

She even sighed thinking of it.

Ada's own image, despite his utmost efforts, was equally present with the young manufacturer.

"I think I despise and hate her as much as I once cared for her," he told his brother; but forget her I can't."

"Fall in love with some one else," was Martin's sage recommendation.

But Roger shook his head.

"Not yet," he said; I have not sufficient confidence in female goodness since then. That was the greatest evil the girl did me. She destroyed faith at a blow."

"A stormy afternoon, Roger," said his uncle, two days later. "Do you mind driving to North Fulton to see about those missing orders? It will be best for one of the firm to go, as it is such a delicate question."

"I am perfectly willing, sir. I am not afraid of the weather in the least."

"Better start at once."

"So I will. I shall be back then, by night fall."

North Fulton was over the hills, ten miles off.

The young man was quickly under way.

He had to pass through Baysditch, and he was aware of Ada Carfit's presence there.

But it was nothing to him whether she saw him or not.

The state of the roads was a much more serious consideration.

How high the waters were, and still rising.

Many houses in the valley were already isolated, and unless a speedy change took place—of which, alas! there was no symptom—the result must inevitably be grave disaster.

The wind lulled for an hour or two while Roger transacted his business.

But it arose in redoubled fury as he commenced his return journey.

Darkness added to the difficulty and the danger of the route.

Turning sharply round a corner into Baysditch Valley, Roger was hailed by a terror-stricken voice behind him.

He pulled hastily up.

"What's wrong?" he asked.

Pant, pant, pant! and then a white face with awed, dilated eyes gleamed upon him in the mist.

"Porley Dam be bursten!"

"No!—sure?"

Roger comprehended in an instant what that message meant, and his accents were as hoarse as the stranger's.

"Ay; certain. 'Tis tearing through t' embankment like a cataract, Gettin' bigger every minute, and noane can't stop it."

"Then Baysditch must be flooded?"

"Yes. I be goin' to warn 't."

"Jump on here."

And Roger drove as if for his own life instead of other people's.

The alarm soon spread, and a scene of terror and confusion ensued which might have appalled the strongest. Water was swiftly rising in the single village street, and the mutter of the onsweeping torrent grew louder every minute. Homeless, and sadly deficient in both food and clothing, dozens of families fled to the hill side while there was yet time.

Where was Ada Carfit lodging! Milton Villa, old Luke Carfit's home, was some distance beyond the clustering village roofs, and Roger experienced some delay in reaching it. The inmates only three in number besides the two maid-servants, were just alarmed, and their retreat was cut off before even Roger was aware of it. Ada was as pale as death, but strangely calm and self-possessed. Roger remembered afterwards how, at least once in that hour of awful peril, her eyes were fixed on his as if they would read his very soul. It was a time for action and not sentiment.

From the edge of the lawn—now the bed of a roaring stream—the ground trended gently away to the uplands, and there the only hope lay. It was more than probable that the house would give way under the avalanche of water which had still to descend. "Porley Dam" was the current designation of the reservoir that supplied all Sharborough.

Roger Herlestone swam across with his horse and turned the animal loose. Then, estimating as best he could the distance and his own powers, he returned and briefly explained his plan. There was no boat within reach. Each member of the household must trust to him; and he would return for each. It was proposed Ada should go first; but she refused, and time was too precious to be spent in haggling. Mrs. Carfit and her husband and the maids were all saved thus; and nearly exhausted, Roger went back to the obstinate girl who still lingered.

"Whether I die or live, this shall be my revenge," he muttered to himself.

Ada was in his arms now and the cross-current running heavily against him. It was a desperate struggle, and growing every instant more dangerous by reason of uprooted trees and other wreckage, that came swiftly down the valley.

Would he succeed? How the spectators held their breath and trembled! At last with a faint "Hurrah" he made terra firma with his burden. But then he fainted, and for the first time the rescued household observed that he was wounded. A tree-trunk had struck him, and inflicted a ghastly wound on the head. But for the present all they could do was to grieve, and tend him as he lay. They were outcasts, like dozens of others.

That flood will be long remembered, and not least by Roger Herlestone and the girl he saved.

Brain fever supervened and Roger was ill for many weeks. Ada Carfit was his chief nurse, and her character seemed entirely changed, so humble and assiduous was she.

There came a day when, with a new light in his eye, Roger looked up and whispered,

"Ada!"

She averted her face. But he had caught the vision of a tear—one of thankfulnes and joy. He took her unresisting hand.

"I have a confession to make," he whispered. "It was in sheer revenge I saved you. Can you forgive me, Ada? And after all—care—a little?"

"Forgive! And I—let me tell, too," she cried brokenly, "I loved you though I didn't know it, when you asked me first, Roger."

PALPITATION OF THE HEART.

J. M. Might, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "When I first commenced using your Burdock Blood Bitters I was troubled with fluttering and palpitation of the heart. I felt very weak and languid, with a numbness of the limbs; since using, my heart has not troubled me and the numbing sensation is all gone." Price $.100

In a town not many miles from Boston, a man stepped into a neighbor's house where he saw the head of the family lying upon his back on the floor, and his wife standing over him, as he thought, with a threatening air. He was about to withdraw, when the prostrate man shouted, "Come along in, Steve; she is only chalking me out a pair of pants."

MAGIC IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY

N. McRea, Wyebridge, Ontario, writes: "I have sold large quantities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil; it is used for colds, sore throat, croup, etc., and, in fact, for any affection of the throat it works like magic. It is a sure cure for burns, wounds and bruises.

"Have you any fresh eggs?" "Yes, mum, plenty; them with the hen on 'em?" "With the hen on them?" "Yes, mum, we always puts a hen on our fresh eggs to distinguish of 'em. Beg pardon, mum, don't think you understand. Hen the letter, not 'en the bird. Hen for noolaid, mum. Take a dozen, mum? Thank you!"—*Punch.*

Elder Moss Kite.

HIS HAIR BREADTH ESCAPES FROM SEEN AND UNSEEN FOES.

Troy Kansas Chief, Jan. 18, 1883.

Most of our older citizens well remember Moss Kite (who lived in Petersburg Bottom) the hero of our state's early political history, who was of stalwart build and powerful physique; who in 1858 led a colony of our people to Pike's Peak; who fought the Indians on the plains and was shot through the body; who on his return here after the rebellion was converted and baptized by Elder Henshall, of the Christian church at Petersburg Bottom, and became a revival preacher of celebrity all through this section. They will also recall the fact that, attacked with consumption and reduced to a skeleton, he was obliged to remove to the Rockies in the hope of saving his life. None thought he would succeed. Last fall, however, the editor of this paper met him at the head of the Republican river, bigger and more robust than ever, "Why I thought you had died of consumption long, long ago, Elder?"

"Me?" I never had consumption, man! though people thought that was what ailed me, and I thought so myself. But the doctors had sent me on a wild-goose chase after a dozen other diseases, just as fatal, and this was the wildest one of all."

The good Elder then recounted to us, in a charming vein, his many adventures in the rough and ready life he had led, "but," he said, "remarkable as you may think my warlike life has been, I have a much more interesting story to tell you."

"You know what a rough, noisy fellow I used to be; and I could stand any hardship. Why, on a wager, I have knocked down an ox and a mule with my fist, I have fought ruffians, border outlaws and Indians; but I was

DOGGED FOR YEARS

by a more dangerous unseen enemy that was ever getting me more completely in his clutches. I was shot at by an Indian in a fight on the plains, but the wound healed rapidly and gave me but little trouble. After I returned to Kansas and commenced preaching, I first began to give away. I had a dull feeling. Dr. Butler, our family physician, said my liver was out of order, caused by the malaria of the bottoms. I had always had an appetite like an ostrich, but my digestion became seriously impaired. While on the circuit preaching, I consulted a doctor, who said I had dyspepsia. After that, distressing palpitation of the heart followed, and the physician said this was caused by my indigestion and diseased liver which would probably terminate fatally. Sometimes I had a ravenous appetite, at others none at all. I was feverish and chilly. My food seemed to do me no good. A specialist told me I had a tape worm! Then I was troubled with unusual quantities of water and a frequent desire to urinate, which was done with great difficulty and great pain. The specialist said I had a touch of the gravel, caused by use of the alkaline water of the plains. I then began to suffer severe pains in the loins and the small of the back, accompanied with sudden attacks of dizziness, during which I had to sit or lie down, to avoid falling. I was forced to abandon

TRAVELLING AND PREACHING,

because I could no longer ride on horseback, or trust myself out alone. I began to be seriously alarmed, and sought the advice of the most noted physician within reach. He said that my frequent horseback riding had jolted and jarred me until the old Indian wound, which had injured my kidneys, had become inflamed. He treated me with medicines and electricity also, but gave me no permanent benefit. My painful symptoms all returned. I began to cough, got very thin and my legs were disagreeably numb. I began to despair. At each attempt to cure, my ailments became worse, with new symptoms. I next consulted a celebrated physician from the East, who, after thumping and examining me, stated that I was in an advanced stage of consumption and threatened with diabetes and paralysis! He thought I might possibly prolong my life for a year or two, by seeking a higher and drier climate. This was my condition when the people in your part of the country last saw me.

Then I started for the Rockies but liked this country, and settled here. At first the change helped me, but about three yeare ago the benefit ceased. Then I failed so rapidly that I could be out of bed only part of each day. All my old symptoms returned. At this crisis, a party of Eastern gentlemen,

ON A BUFFALO HUNT,

made my house their headquarters. In the party was a Dr. Wakefield, who informed me that I had a bad case of incurable Bright's Disease, and gave me a preparation which might, he said, ease me for a few weeks or months, but that was the best that could be done. Around the bottle was a newspaper. Now a newspaper was a rarity in our home, and I sat in my chair looking it over when my eye providentially fell upon an article relating a most wonderful cure of Bright's Disease—the very malady that was killing me—by the use of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, (of Rochester, N. Y.) Convinced that further delay would be fatal, and everything else failing, the next morning, I dispatched one of my boys to the nearest railroad station, many miles distant, to obtain a bottle of the Safe Cure. The druggist said the demand for the Cure was so great he could not keep it in stock, and he had to send to Kansas City for more. It was more than a week before it arrived, and I was daily getting weaker. But it came at last, and I at once began to take it. When I told Dr. Wakefield what I was taking, he gave me a look, half of scorn, half of pity, as much as to say,

'POOR FELLOW!

he is putting his trust in a humbug.' Nevertheless I persevered and for the past year and a half I have been as stout and rugged as I ever was in my life. After escaping the attacks of Indians and a half a dozen doctors, I was lying at the mercy of a still more dreadful foe that was about giving me the finishing blow, when that great remedy stepped in, slew my adversary, and placed me firmly on my feet once more. I have commenced preaching again; for I look upon the circumstances and manner of my cure as a direct interposition of Providence and to Providence are my services due. That is my story. I think it is as good as a romance—and much better, for it is true."

Such is the substance, and very nearly the language of Elder Kite's narrative. Those who read it, and are suffering, may benefit by his experience, if they will follow his example.

The State College.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE BASED UPON CAREFUL INQUIRY.

One hundred and forty students now attend the State Agricultural college in Centre county. Quite a number are ladies. The institution has not been a success since its establishment and in order to ascertain the cause of failure, and also to investigate certain alleged abuses, the legislature two years ago appointed a special committee to examine into the charges. On this committee are Messrs. Mylin, Newmeyer, Colburn, Norris and Alexander—senators and ex senators, and ex representatives Milham, Byerly, McClure, Mapes, Findlay, Judge and Roberts, with Representative Hall. The report has been brought before both branches of the legislature. As it covers only 1,122 pages it is not likely to be read. The special committee have signed the same with the exception of Mr. Byerly, late of Williamsport. He did not sign because he is now in Texas, interested in cattle droves and not in colleges in Pennsylvania.

The committee reports that they find all the vouchers of the trustees correct. This is the usual preliminary to a white-wash. Yet they do not use this purifying political compound any further. They censure the old board of trustees for neglecting to give proper attention to the college's concerns, and state in the report that neglect nipped the college's best interests in the bud. They censure the agricultural societies of the State for never selecting or electing one of the thirteen trustees to which they are entitled Action of that sort threw the government back upon the local management and General Beaver, the report says, was compelled to take entire charge. Much credit is given him for his action in the premises. One of the recommendations calls for the abolition of the State experimental farms in Chester and Indiana counties, and the establishment of a central station similar to the 127 stations in Germany, which have been patterned after with much success in Ohio.

The committee makes the report a complete history of the college. It gives the protest of the State Grangers, which protest was made on the grounds that the neglect was in teaching the classics to the detriment of farming. Hon. Victor E Piollet specially referred to that exception in his testimony. Another abuse referred to at length is the Westgrove farm, in Chester county, where a State appropriation of $5,000 made the total amount of inaugurating the experiment $18,000. This farm, the report says, has been a great drain on the college and much help to the farmers of Chester when they wanted blooded cattle. The Chanceford Farmers' Club, of Chester county, have referred to this farm largely in their discussions.

The committee, in closing its report, expresses the opinion that the trustees made honest mistakes of judgment, but the statement is made that the failure is largely due to the lack of interest taken by the agricultural classes in the State.

Banqueting General Lee.

The banquet to Gen. Fitzhugh Lee and the other visiting Virginians in the Mansion House in Brooklyn last Friday night was attended by a large number of military guests in uniform. The dining hall was hung with flags, including banners from the Virginia

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1883.

FOR DIRECTORS OF BLOOM POOR DISTRICT.

WESLEY MORRIS,
OF GREENWOOD.

DR. F. W. REDEKER,
OF SCOTT.

S. Davis Page has been declared Controller of Philadelphia by the city Courts.

Marshall Jewell, who was chairman of the National republican Committee in 1880, died at his home in Hartford, Conn. on Saturday ltst, of acute pneumonia.

The Western Union Telegraph Company under the management of Jay Gould, has leased the Mutual Union Company, for a term of ninety-nine years.

Remember that a vote for any independent candidate for Poor Director is a vote against the regular nominees, and may endanger the success of the ticket. Vote for Morris and Redeker.

Governor Butler has removed Warden Earle, of the prison at Concord. This action of the governor is said by those in a position to know to be a primary move against the system of contract labor in the state prison, a plank denouncing which was adopted by the last Democratic state convention.

Joseph Cook fell between two cars on a Vermont railroad the other day, and was in immminent danger of being run over. With great presence of mind he threw one of his most ponderous opinions on Oriental theology beneath the wheels and stopped the train.

The Legislature has got down to solid work, and is putting in full time. Sessions of the House are held daily from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., except on Fridays and Saturdays when the sessions are from 10 to 12. On Monday evening the session opens at 7½ o'clock. Afternoon sessions are held on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5 o'clock.

William E. Dodge dropped dead Friday morning at his residence on Madison avenue, in New York city. He was one of the well-known firm of Phelps, Dodge & Co., was a member of Congress in 1866 and 1867, held the office of president of the New York Chamber of Commerce for some time was closely identified with philanthropic measures, particularly the cause of temperance.

It is our intention to publish the votes of our representatives in the Legislature, on all measures of importance, so that the people may know just how they are being represented. As we must depend on the reports in the daily papers for our information, we shall always willingly make any correction, if misled by them. It is our duty to condemn what we believe to be wrong, and we shall cheerfully commend whatever is deserving of praise.

The daily papers reported Mr. Bryson incorrecly in saying that he voted in committee against the bill prohibiting free passes. We are informed that he was attending another committee, and was not present when the vote was taken. Mr. Vanderslice's reason for voting against it was that the bill includes only members of the Legislature and Judges, leaving members of Congress, mayor, city councilmen etc., at liberty to ride on passes. He favors a bill that will treat everybody alike.

Tax Sales.

The state Senate last Friday passed the act to permit the purchasers of bonds at treasurers' sale for taxes to issue writs of estrepement against owners and others to prevent waste pending the right of redemption. This measure was presented by Senator Bid dis, of Pike, January 10, and covers an abuse practiced in certain counties of the state, not generally understood. The vote on final passage was 27 to 7, a few senators refraining from voting.

Treasurer's sales in counties like Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Crawford, Pike and others have degenerated, according to the arguments adduced favoring the measure, into mere broker's courts where the leading shark captured the prize. A gentleman acquainted with the subject says that a land shark, in the accepted term, is a man who has held a county office and in the conduct of its affairs becomes familiar with the property of the county. He purchases for the value of the land owned by people who live in other parts of the state, mostly parties who have inherited the property and know little if anything about their possessions.

The bill sets forth that the purchaser or purchasers of lands, sold by the treasurers of the several counties of the state for taxes, may at any time before the same shall have been redeemed according to law have a writ or writs of estrepement against the owner or owners of the lands or other persons who may be committing waste upon said lands until so redeemed.

Another provision is that upon petition to the court of common pleas of the proper county or a judge thereof in vacation setting forth the date of the treasurer's sale, and describing the lands as described in the treasurer's deed therefor, and the manner in which waste is being committed, together with the name or names of the person or persons committing it, which petition shall be verified by affidavit, and presentation and filing therewith such security as is now required by law in cases of writs of estrepement, the court or judge in vacation shall endorse upon the petition an order for the writ and the prothonotary shall issue the same to have the same effect as if issued in an action of ejectment; and the court or judge in vacation shall have power to hear the parties in a summary manner and dissolve the writ or make such further order as may seem just and right; provided, however, that security shall not be required from the applicant for the writ unless the court or judge ordering the same shall deem it necessary.

Now that the bill has passed it is said that a crying evil from certain counties of the state will receive a wholesome check.

Free Passes.

DISCUSSION IN THE HOUSE.

When Mr. Hasson called up bill 193 in the house last Monday evening a lengthy discussion ensued. This bill makes it a misdemeanor for state officers, judges of the courts and members of the legislature to accept a free pass or pass of any description from railroad corporations. Mr. Hasson called the bill up, the committee having negatived it, and requested it be placed on the calendar. The house decided to grant the request by a vote of 136 to 34. Mr. Hasson, in support of his motion, said that the only reason urged against reporting the bill affirmatively was that it would be an act of discourtesy to those members who had accepted free passes. This he considered a fallacy. He disclaimed any criticism or censure of any one, but he wanted to know for those who considered it an act of discourtesy how they could reconcile the matter in ignoring article 17th of the constitution. All personal thought and personal considerations must be ignored. The issuing of free passes was an odious one with the people. He hoped the members would at least allow the bill to be placed on the calendar. If it is wrong or discourteous, these demerits should be shown when it is brought before the house. He said that free passes are odious and unpopular with the phople, and had some of those who opposed this measure so told their constituents there would be vacant seats in the house as far as they are concerned.

Mr. Sharpe, of Franklin, said he would cheerfully support the resolution to place the bill on the calendar. He quoted from the act of 1874 to carry out the provisions of the constitution. It had been cunningly worded. It put a prohibition only upon such railroads as had accepted the provisions of the seventeenth article of the constitution, or that might be organized after its adoption. These railroad companies said, because they say they were not within the provisions of the constitution they had not the right to issue free passes to the executive officers and members of the legislature. He did not charge that any of these officers would be under obligations for having accepted these passes. There are people, however, who think that those who have accepted these passes might unconsciously be guilty of something which they should not do. The result of the last election was not a triumph of any political party, but it was a remonstrance against certain abuses which had permeated the body politic. He did not think public virtue or private integrity the exclusive property of any political party. Woe betide the public servant or servants who will not heed the verdict of the election last fall. This was a great question of public policy and ought not be smothered in any committee.

Mr. Sponsler, Perry, was also in favor of the resolution. He thought it should be out of the committee and that it should be discussed before the house like any other measure. It ought to have a fair hearing. It is, as has been said, a great question of public policy. He quoted from the constitution to show that it was wrong. No argument can be made to make it right if it is wrong to accept a free pass. The constitution was an experiment. It was like a harp of a thousand strings, and each string was being tuned. Here was the rumbling of an earthquake on this question. The people did not believe that the man who was created by the Lord was to be bound by the constitution, but that the great railroads, canals and other transportation companies were not to be bound.

Mr. Lowrie, of Indiana, said that if any member feels himself insulted by any provision of the constitution there must be something wrong with that gentleman.

Several other members spoke on the same subject.

The Cost of Sugar and Flour.

During the debate in the Senate last week on the tariff, the question of the reduction of the tax on sugar being under immediate consideration, Mr. FRYE of Maine introdnced a curious table to show that the sugar of a family costs more than its bread. The best place in the world, he said, to find out the facts about the matter is a factory boarding house, for there the exact cost of everything in the way of expenditures is carefully kept. "Furthermore," says Mr. FRYE, with well-justified confidence, "the factory boarding house keeper does not waste any sugar."

He had sent down to Maine, and obtained the following statistics as to the cost of the sugar and the bread in eight factory boarding houses:

Boarders.	Board.	Sugar and Flour.	Molasses
S. S. Ashworth..... 11	$4 75	$26	$39
Susan Rice..... 16	4 50	26	42
John Yeaton..... 12	4 40	28	34
R. A. Wing..... 65	2 70	108	109
Cottle & Gunn..... 18	3 60	180	256
F. A. Conant..... 50	2 50	108	97
C. E. Hilton..... 61	2 50	132	124
L. C Dunham..... 110	3 00	216	234
Total..... 372	$3 48⅝	$834	$905

It will be seen that all of these boarding house keepers except two report that their sugar and molasses cost them more than their flour. And very probably it would be found by families, if they would keep an exact account of their expenditures, that the sugar bill was at least as large as that for flour.

According to Mr. MORGAN, of Alabama, who advocated the reduction of the tariff, we raise in round numbers fifty millions of dollars from sugar duties. That is a dollar a head for the whole population, including a vast number of savages and semi-savages who get no sugar at all. That tax he thought was too much, considering that sugar has become an article of necessity. And so it does seem to be. — *N. Y. Sun.*

Some time ago a large religious meeting was held in Salem township, Luzerne county, and among the audience was William H. Cooper, who became so deeply affected that he has since gone out of his mind, and become so violent that his friends resolved to remove him to a lunatic asylum at once. On Thursday of last week he set fire to an outbuilding on his premises and at night he drove his family from the house and built a bonfire on the front door steps. The neighbors entered complaint, and he was brought to the County Jail, where he was examined by a medical commission, who decided that the man was mentally deranged and should be sent to an asylum. He was taken to the Danville Insane Asylum on Monday.

A number of the most prominent iron and steel manufacturers at Pittsburg have been interviewed in regard to the tariff, and the effect of the passage of the bill now before congress. The general opinion was unfavorable to the bill, and predictions were made that its passage would prove disastrous to the iron industries of the country.

The Tunkhannock *Democrat* urges the Democratic members of the Legislature to inaugurate real reform by abolishing the Forty-fourth judicial district, which is composed of Wyoming and Sullivan counties. The *Democrat* argues that the Forty-fourth district is the smallest in the State and is a useless expense. It suggests that Wyoming county be attached to Susquehanna county and Sullivan county to Columbia and Montour.

The business in dressed meat has grown to enormous proportions in Chicago. More than 7,000,000 hogs and 2,000,000 head of beef cattle have been slaughtered there in a year. These are conveyed to the stock yards by eighteen different railroads. The killing is now usually done by shooting the animal just back of the ear, and machinery does nearly all the work of dressing. It is only three to five minutes from the time a bullock is shot until he is quartered ready for the ice box. The furnishing of fresh beef to the Eastern market began only a few years ago, when one firm undertook to send choice cuts to several hotels near Chicago, and found that the plan worked well enough to prove the feasibility of shipments to more distant points. There were delays and losses at first, but a suitable refrigerator car was soon invented, and now there are no difficulties in the traffic. After the best parts of the carcass are shipped, the course meat is canned or made into sausage, the blood dried, and the bones ground for fertilizer, the horns sold to combmakers, and every scrap turned to account in some way. "We are selling the best loins for eleven cents a pound," says a leading slaughterer, "and, adding a cent for freightage, they cost the New York dealer twelve cents. That is for the best uqality, such as he sells for about twenty cents."

DELUGE IN THE WEST.

Great damage has been done and intense suffering caused by the high water in many western cities and towns. At Cincinnati on Monday the depot of of the Cincinnti Southern railroad was undermined by the bursting of a large sewer, but so far as can be learned no lives were lost. The gas and water supplies were cut off from that city, and skiffs are as thick in the streets as drays and wagons usually are. A despatch from Lawrenceburg, Indiana, dated Feb. 13th, says: This town of 5000 people has two feet of water on its highest part and the suffering is great and the destitution utter and almost indescribable. No coal can be gotten at, and there are no stoves to burn it in. Relief is being constantly sent there from Cincinnati.

All the small villages along the Ohio are in much the same situation, but particulars are not now obtainable. There are no steamboats plying now, except some small ones to local points.

Another dispatch of the same date from New Albany, Indiana says: The river rose eighteen inches last night, and is still rising. All the houses and factories along the river front are abandoned. The water got into the glass works furnaces last night, and the fires are all out. They will lose at least $100-000. About 3000 persons are thrown out of employment. From 300 to 500 families had to move, and all available room on the high ground is filled. The railroad track between here and Jeffersonville is abandoned, the ferryboats making only occasional trips to the Kentucky side of the river.

In Newport, Kentucky, two hundred and sixty acres are covered with water, 1000 houses inundated, and 2500 families homeless. Many other towns are in the same condition. The loss of property can hardly be estimated.

State Reports.

On Monday evening Senator Green introduced a bill providing for the republication of the reports of the supreme court. The bill requires the governor to appoint, within thirty days after the passage of the act, a person of known integrity and learning, who, in conjunction with the secretary of the commonwealth and auditor general, enter into a contract with a person or persons for the reprinting of the reports, which are enumerated as follows: Dallas, 42 volumes; Addison, 1; Yeates, 4; Binney, 6; Sargeant and Rawle, 17; Rawle (new edition), 4; Watts and Sargeant, 9; Grant, 3; Barr, 10; Jones, 2; Harris, 12; Casey, 12: Wright, 14; Smith, 31; Norris, 15; Outerbridge, 1. The appointee of the governor shall give security in $5,000, and the contractor $25,000. The compensation of neither is specified. The volumes are to be sold at the contract price.

STATE NEWS.

Pittston is to be illuminated with electric light.

The total estimate of taxable property in Lancaster county is for real estate $85,739,106.

Mr. Fred Smith, of Mahanoy Plane, formerly of Catawissa, will take possession of the "Danville House" in the spring.

The Butler *Citizen* calls for the passage of the act compelling railroad companies to erect fences along the roads.

A sad case of death from exposure and starvation is reported from Kingston, a whole family—father mother and three children—being the victims.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature to provide at the public expense, evening schools for the education of children of the commonwealth who from any cause are unable to attend the day public schools.

The *Miltonian* announces that Mr. C. H. Dickerman, of the car factory of that place, has succeeded in securing one thousand cars to build—enough to keep the men at work on full time until June next.

A resident of Pittston is father to his own children and stepfather to his present wife's children. He is also father-in-law to his own brother, and brother-in-law, besides being stepfather to his brother's wife. This makes him uncle and grandfather to his brother's children.—*Pittston Gazette.*

State Senator Everhart secured an affirmative report on his bill prohibiting the issuance of free railroad passes. The vote on this bill will be watched with curious interest, as it will clearly develope what Senators are willing to cut off their perquisites.

A call signed by leading anti-monopolists in all parts of the country issued at Chicago for a delegate conference for the formation of a new party. The conference will be held on July 4th. The principles enunciated in the call are opposition to confederate monopoly, public lands for actual settlers, suppression of "corners" in the necessities of life, opposition to a protective tariff and the election of the President and Vice President and the United States senators by direct votes.

Centre Notes.

The most important occasion of the past week was the Conner wedding which we will mention first.

On Thursday morning February 8th, 1883, about fifty of the relatives and friends of prospective parties assembled at the residence of Mr. George Conner to witness the marriage of his eldest daughter Mattie, to Mr. William Kirkendall of Nescopeck. Promptly at 11 o'clock the bridal party appeared and were ushered by Messrs. Scott, Laubach and C. E. Creasy into the parlors where the ceremony was performed by Rev. C. K. Canfield of Orangeville. Miss Lizzie Conner, a sister of the bride, and Miss Lizzie Creasy of Nescopeck were bridesmaids, and the groomsmen were Messrs. W. L. White and J. A. Creasy. A sumptuous repast was served at half past twelve o'clock, after which the guests, with tincups, clothespins, bells, etc., gave the newly married pair a comical serenade. All passed off pleasantly. The guests were all acquainted and the party seemed like a family gathering, which indeed it was to a very great extent. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conner, having returned from their wedding trip, were present to see the sister married. The bridal party of six, took the evening train at Nescopeck for Wilkesbarre. Mr. Charles Conner took them to the depot in a large sled with four-in-hand, twelve of the young people going with them. This proved a pleasant feature of the occasion for the young folks, who report a jolly time. The assisting parties returned from Wilkesbarre on Friday evening, and the bride and groom went on to Philadelphia, Trenton and New York. On their return they will take possession of the Hiram Kirkendall farm near Nescopeck.

Their many friends wish them a long, pleasant and successful life.

Last Friday evening a grand time was had at Esq. Hidlay's. It appears that the fun-loving young folks had selected Mr. Hidlay's as the place for this week's sport, and at an early hour a large party had gathered and as soon as the rooms were put in order, the programme opened with a "square dance" and not until the roosters began to crow for daylight, did the music stop. While your reporter was not present, he has learned that the party was considered a grand success by all who took part.

About thirty of our people gave Mr. J. S. Hagenbuch a pleasant little surprise party on Monday evening. Although they dropped in without notice, they found Mr. H. ready to give them a social and jolly time, and make them welcome and at home in his house. They "tripped the light fantastic" till all were satisfied that the time for fun had closed when they left Mr. Hagenbuch's with their best wishes for many such pleasant occasions.

Out of justice to Mr. H. we will correct the note of last week and make it read Elisha and J. S. Hagenbuch took a sled load to Mr. Creasy's. REPORTER.

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ADMINSTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM IVEY, LATE OF HEMLOCK TOWNSHIP, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA., DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of William Ivey, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Ann Ivey and Edward Ivey, administrators. All persons having claims against said deceden are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrators without delay.

ANN IVEY,
EDWARD IVEY,
Administrators.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ANN P. EVANS, LATE OF THE BOROUGH OF BERWICK, DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of Ann P. Evans late of the borough of Berwick, deceased have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against said decedent, are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersignep administrator without delay.

C. B. Jackson, Atty. J. W. EVANS, Administrator. de bonis non

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NOTICE

Is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that an application will be made to the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania now in session at Harrisburg for the passage of an Act of the General Assembly, the title of which is "An Act to repeal the Act of May ninth, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of an inspector of steam boilers in the counties of Schuylkill, Northumberland and Columbia, by the governor of the Commonwealth.

The object of the Act to be applied for as aforesaid, as appears from its title, is the repeal of the said law of ninth of May, A. D., 1871.

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Public Sale!

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate.

The undersigned executor of the last will and testament of John Sands, late of Greenwood twp., Columbia County, deceased, will expose to public sale upon the premises on

Tuesday, March 6th, '83

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate situate in Greenwood township Columbia county, Pa., bounded by Green Creek, and lands of A. H. Kitchen, the heirs of John Reece deceased, Jacob Gerrard, Samuel Albertson and others, containing

78 ACRES,

and sixty-six perches, more or less, on which are erected a large story Pailing Mill in good running order, a new FRAME HOUSE, barn as good as new, and all necessary out-buildings, water at the house and Green Creek runs along the edge of the farm and supplies the mill with water. A young orchard of choice fruit on the place.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent of ¼ o' the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the ¼ less the 10 per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining ¼ in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

D. K. SLOAN.
EXECUTOR.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

ESTATE OF W. J. BUCKALEW, DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of W. J. Buckalew, late of Bloomsburg Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administratrix. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administratrix without delay. DORA BUCKALEW,
Jan. 5 '83-6w. Administratrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH WALTER LATE OF MONTOUR TOWNSHIP DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth Walter late of Montour township Col. Co., Pa., have been granted by the Register of said county to Robert Buckingham Esq. administrator. All persons having claims against the said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay. ROBERT BUCKINGHAM,
Feb. 9. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF THOMAS J. WILLIAMS, LATE OF BOROUGH OF CENTRALIA, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration in the estate of Thomas J. Williams, late of Centralia Borough Columbia county, Penn'a., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.
LAFAYETTE FETTERMAN,
Centralia January 2, '83-6w. Administrator.

LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the peace of Columbia county, their petitions for license, which will be presented to the said court, on Monday, the fifth day of February, 1883, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Gilmore P. M.,	Bloomsburg,	Restaurant.
Robbins Cortez B.,	do	Liquor store.
Tubbs W. H.,	do	Hotel.
Mann Jno. S.,	Centre,	do
Hagenbuch Samuel,	Orange,	do
Heckman George,	do	do

Bloomsburg, Jan. 12, '83. WM. KRICKBAUM, Clerk Q. S.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between C. C. Trench and James M. Shew, under the firm name of C. C. Trench & Co., in Scott township, was dissolved on the 8th day of January, A. D., 1883, by mutual consent, all debts due and owing said firm are to be paid to C. C. Trench, and the business will be continued hereafter under the firm name of Maize & Shew.

Jan. 12, '83-4w*. C. C. TRENCH,
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ald feb. 9, 1m.

Special from Private Office of Mr John Wanamaker February 1883

Six Paragraphs to Out-of-town Customers.

City residents are in the store every day and know what is going on. This is to give some of the same information to those who are not in town every day.

¶¶ No. 1. Reductions are made since stock-taking, in
Linens,
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Ladies' and Gentlemen's Underwear,
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hosiery,
Little Boys' Clothing.

¶¶ No. 2. 56 pieces of the same Black Silks that a few weeks ago were good at $1.35, open this month at One Dollar per yard.

¶¶ No. 3. Muslins have been lowered in price—almost all the makes.

¶¶ No. 4. The Dress Goods part of our business compels, in addition to the Eleven counters, two more of 140 feet. This Spring's Stock will be the best we have ever shown.

¶¶ No 5. We are enlarging the Store by adding another on the Chestnut Street front.

¶¶ No. 6. In answer to many inquiries as to the size of the Store: Its floors and galleries now occupied cover Nine acres; the highest number of people employed is 3,292.
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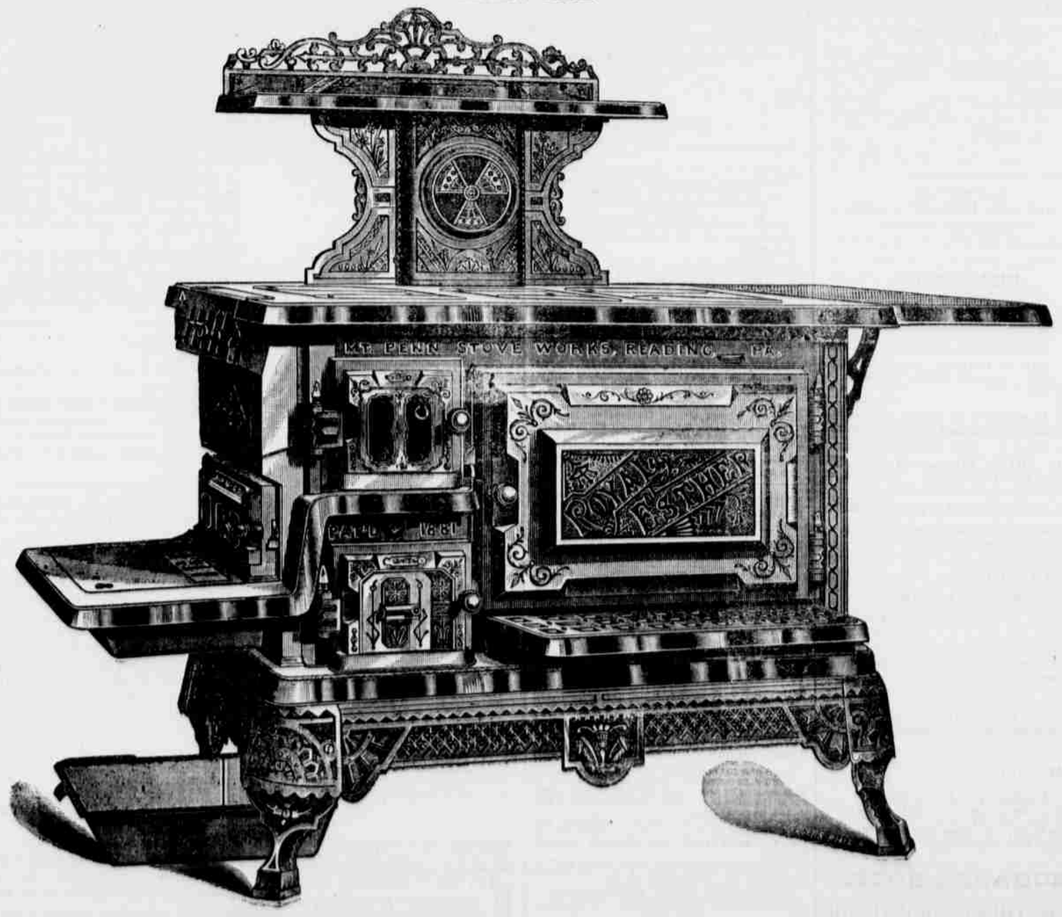

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1883.

Correct Railroad Time Table.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6 18 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
4 06 p. m.	6 45 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

SOUTH.	SOUTH.
7 38 a. m.	8 25 a. m.
10 56 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
*6 51 p. m.	4 27 p. m.

The 11 45 train south connects with the Philadelphia & Reading at Rupert, and with the Northern Central at Northumberland.

The 8:25 a. m. train connects at Northumberland with 9:35 train on Pennsylvania road reaching Philadelphia at 3:30 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Philadelphia and Reading road at Rupert at 11:50 reaching Philadelphia at 6:00 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 1:55 reaching Philadelphia at 7:25 p. m.

The 4:27 p. m. train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 8:05 p. m. and reaches Philadelphia at 2:55 a. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7.41 a. m	12.08 p. m.
6.31 p. m	7.07 p. m.

Public Sales.

[All persons having bills printed at this office, will receive a gratuituos notice under this head.]

John Drum will sell personal property on his premises in Main township on Tuesday March 6th at 10 A. M.

Samuel Smith will sell personal property on his premises fn Fishingcreek towhship on Friday March 2 at 10 A. M.

James H. Geiser, of Madison township, will offer valuable personal property on the premises of Jas. Correll, on Monday, March 5th at 10 o'clock.

B. D. Cole, of Cole's Creek, will sell on his premises in Sugarloaf township, on Wednesday, March 7th, at 9 o'clock, valuable personal property.

Henry Bower of Fishingcreek township, will offer for sale on the premises of Cornelius Coleman, at Asbury, valuable personal property, on Tuesday, March 13th, at 10 a. m.

D. K. Sloan, executor of John Sands, will sell valuable real estate on the premises in Greenwood township, on Tuesday, March 6th, commencing at 10 o'clock.

Personal.

E. P. Kisner, Esq., of Hazleton was in court on Monday.

Miss Belle Caldwell, of Danville, is visiting Miss Ada Hartman.

Col. Tate of Williamsport is still confined to his bed by illness.

S. Bruce Coleman of the Wilkes-Barre *News-Dealer* was in town on Tuesday.

W. A. Marr Esq., of Ashland, was in town attending court on Wednesday.

Mr. Andrew Clark of Catawissa, one of our oldest subscribers, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Bohanan, formerly Miss Laura Pursel, is visiting relatives here. She is residing in Maryland.

Mr. David Lowenberg celebrated his sixtieth birthday on Saturday last. May he live to celebrate many more.

Miss Dievel and Miss Eyerly, two young ladies from Danville, spent a few days with friends in Bloomsburg the past week.

Rev. Mr. Foley, of Williamsport, preached an excellent sermon at the Episcopal church, last week, Thursday evening.

Ex-Senator Chalfant, editor of the Danville *Intelligencer*, was seen on our streets on Monday afternoon, driving a spirited and very pretty horse.

Mr. J. E. Kiefer of Hughesville was called here on a telegram on Wednesday, owing to the serious illness of his father-in-law, Mr. George Dreisbach of this town.

The attendance at court was not very large this week.

M. C. Woodward is a candidate for constable and will be elected as usual.

Cash paid for eggs, dried fruit and poultry at Kinports & Bro's grocery this week.

Public sale bills printed at the COLUMBIAN office, on short notice, and as cheap as the cheapest.

Berwick will be connected with Bloomsburg by telephone next month. Our authority for this is reliable.

The Oval Butter Churn given on thirty days' trial. Best in the market, for sale at Kinports & Bro's.

Mifflinville has a newspaper, called the *Record*, just issued by M. U. Andreas. It is neat in appearance and deserves to succeed.

The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company is building a scale which will have a weighing capacity of 125,000 pounds.

A. O. Stonge is spoken of as a candidate for constable of Montour township. If he should be chosen, he would make an efficient officer.

S. F. Colt, Jr., has purchased the *Sullivan Democrat* office at Laporte, and will soon begin the publication of a Republican newspaper there.

Buckalew Bros. have had their large omnibus done up at Sloan & Bro's. shops, and it looks like new with its bright paint and easy cushioned seats.

A party of fourteen couples of ladies and gentlemen of town partook of an elegant supper at the Central Hotel last week Thursday, gotten up in Brown's best style.

The smallest country newspaper is worth more to its subscribers in one month than its price for a year, and does more for its neighborhood for nothing than many a high official does for his munificent salary. —*Printer's Circular.*

CHEAP RAILROD TICKETS TO THE WEST.—If you are going west buy your tickets of R. D. Darlington, agent, P. & R. Rupert station. He sells cheap tickets to all parts of the west and over the most desirable routes. Trains leave Rupert at 6:15 and 8:50 a. m., and 4:06 p. m.

WANTED.—150,000 bushel of wheat, at $1.05. Farmer's Produce Exchange. Limited.

Over thirty couples of gentlemen and ladies of this town partook of an elegant supper at the Exchange Hotel on Monday night. It was intended as a surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs, and supper was engaged for "a party from Danville." Everything passed off very pleasantly.

The office of school director ought not to be made a position to be secured by the practice of methods best known to politicians. Candidates for the office should be selected because of their fitness. The same methods used against a candidate are equally as reprehensible. Let the office of school director be lifted up and kept out of the political mire.

William Ivey, an old and respected citizen of Hemlock township died on Thursday of last week. He was buried on Sunday morning.

George Heckman will open the hotel formerly kept by the late John Snyder, in Orangeville, about the first of next month. The upper hotel now kept by Emandus Unangst we are informed will be closed.

Mrs. Jennie Jones, wife of Thomas Jones, who recently returned from Ohio, where they have lived for the past six years, died week before last and was buried on February 3d. She was thirty years and eleven days old.

Mr. H. W. R. Callender representatative of the Madison Square Theatre, N. Y., will shortly visit this town to arrange for the production of the great metropolitan success "Esmeralda" which has been running over 300 nights at the N. Y. Theatre, and which has been the dramatic success of the past year.

A call has been issued for a town meeting, to be held to-night, (Friday). The bills read as follows: "All citizens opposed to the extravagant policy of the present Town government which is spending the revenues of the town, and giving but little return, will meet in the Opera House on Friday evening at 7 o'clock for the purpose of naming a town ticket."

The Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church meets in Chambersburg in March, the church of Rev. Dr. D. S. Monroe. The United Brethren in Christ will also meet in conference in the same place a few weeks earlier, giving that town the advantage of two conferences the same year.

Women are now eligible to school offices in Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Virginia, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Wyoming, and to any office in Wisconsin except State Superintendent. Mississippi has a State Board of Education, which includes the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and eight other persons, one of whom is a woman.

WANTED.—I find myself short on the following varieties of seed potatoes, to fill my Spring orders, viz.: Early Ohio, Dunmore, Early Gem, St. Patrick, Beauty of Hebron, White Star, White Rose and Chicago market. Parties having any of above varieties for sale will please write me immediately, giving price. I want nothing but what is genuine.

Address, W. L. MANSING,
feb 16-2w Derrs, Pa.

By one of those unavoidable delays that will occasionally happen in the best regulated printing offices, we failed to make the mail last Thursday afternoon. In the hurry of trying to make the mails the Berwick pack got the wrong label on it, and went to Benton, and did not get back until Saturday too late to go up that day. It is not often that such mistakes occur, and we hope that those who were inconvenienced will overlook it this time.

Among the cases to be argued before the Supreme Court at Philadelphia this month are the following: Wm. F. Bibby vs. Flemmings Jacoby et. al., Barkley and Knorr for plaintiff, Freeze and Rhawn for defendant; Casper Rhawn and J. B. McKelvy vs. the Commonwealth at the suggestion of George Raup, Buckalew and Rhawn for plaintiff, Freeze and W. L. Eyerly for defendant; and Mary Creveling vs. B. F. Reighard, Buckalew and Smith for plaintiff, Littles for defendant. Cases from this county will be heard during the week commencing February 26th.

Pigeons wanted; cash paid, at Kinports & Bro's grocery.

A communication from Espy containing local items was received last week too late for publication. It would not have been inserted, had it come in time, for two reasons, one being that no name was signed to it, and the other, that allusions were made to a number of persons, by initials of the names only. Anything relating to any individual that is worth publishing, ought to give the names in full. We want items of general interest, and not simply personal matters that only two or three persons understand. We shall be glad to hear from our Espy correspondent if he or she will give us his or her name, and insert full names of all persons mentioned.

The Hazleton correspondent of the Wilkes-Barre *News-Dealer* contains the following concerning a gentleman who has many friends hereabouts:

Col. Fitzpatrick, that whole-souled and exceedingly popular old veteran, who is well and favorably known throughout the State and whose reputation as a landlord is second to none, has opened a hotel in the building of Mr. Phil. Keiper, formerly occupied by James Cole, lately deceased. No better evidence of the immense popularity of the Colonel was needed than in watching the crowds pouring into his new place of business. It is almost needless to say to the public that it is his intention to keep a first-class public house, and handle none but the best of everything in the market. The Colonel will be honored by the best trade in this place and not forgotten by his friends from other sections, when they come to Hazleton. We predict for the genial "old vet," a flourishing business at the new stand.

ORANGEVILLE ACADEMY will be reopened April 9th, under the Principalship of Francis Heck, A. M., a graduate of Lafayette College. There is a prospect of a favorable opening.

The History of Columbia County by Col. J. G. Freeze is printed and is now in the hands of the binder, who promises to have it ready for delivery in about one week. The book contains 585 pages, printed in good size type, clear and distinct. The following are among the contents: Early History, The Rivers, The Forts, Indian Purchases, Organization of the County, Streams and Mountains, Improvements and Productions, Townships and Boroughs, Population, Removal of the County Seat, Election Returns, Chapters on Bloomsburg, Berwick, Catawissa, Jerseytown, The Smaller Towns, Biographies of President Judges, list of Prothonotaries, Sheriffs, Associate Judges, Register and Recorders, Normal School, Common Schools, Poor Houses, Newspapers, Madam Montour, Post Offices, Senators, Members and Congressmen, Military Record, Military Occupation, &c., &c. Among the illustrations are the County Jail, the Court House, and portraits of Hon. C. R. Buckalew, and Judges Woodward and Elwell. A general index at the end of the volume enables the reader to turn readily to any subject in the book. The author has spent a great deal of time in the preparation of the work, and the publishers have spared no expense in printing it. Price in cloth $2.50, half morocco $3.00, full leather, $3.50. Subscribers will be notified when the book is ready for delivery. Orders taken at this office.

We have heard both Democrats and Republicans say that there is nothing better for a cough than Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; this old reliable remedy never fails to cure a cough or cold at once, and may be obtained at any drug store for 25 cents a bottle.

A Card.

Having heard of some misrepresentations that have been made concerning my candidacy for Director of Bloom Poor District, I hereby publicly deny the reports that I have made pledges regarding the stewardship of the Poor House, or that I have any desire to be appointed physician for the district. I will not accept the appointment under any circumstances.

F. W. REDEK SR.

A New Postal Decision.

By a very recent decision of the Postmaster General, only first-class mail matter—letters and postal cards—can be "forwarded free of postage in the mails, from the post-office, upon the request of the parties to whom such matter is addressed." It has been the custom, heretofore, of the post-office department to allow second, third and fourth class matter also to be "forwarded" free, but now it can only be done by again prepaying the original amount of postage, which postage must be paid as often as the matter is desired to be forwarded by the parties to whom it is addressed.

Fire Escapes.

The calamity that occurred a few weeks ago at the Newhall House in Milwaukee, resulting in the loss of nearly one hundred lives, coupled with other disasters of a similar nature, both in America and elsewhere, show that some practicable method of escape should be furnished at every building in which human beings work or live. In New York city every structure of a certain height is compelled by law to be provided with efficient means of escape for inmates in case of fire. The practical benefit of this provision has been proved over and over again, and even where no such law exists it would be a wise procedure on the part of all to provide their houses or other buildings with such appliances.

Lenten Services.

Services will be held at St. Paul's Episcopal church during Lent as follows: Monday, Tuesday and Saturday afternoons at 4:15, Monday and Friday mornings at 10 o'clock, and Thursday evening at 7.

The following named clergymen may be expected to preach on Thursday evenings at the dates indicated opposite their names: The Rev. J. B. P. Pendleton, St. Luke's church, Scranton, Feb. 15th. The Rev. H. C. Swentzel, Grace church, Honesdale, Feb. 22d. The Rev. H. L. Jones or the Rev. H. C. Hayden, St. Stephens' church, Wilkes-Barre, March 1st. The Rev. John Henry Hopkins, S. T. D., Christ church, Williamsport, March 8th. The Rev. Jos. P. Cameron, church of the Good Shepherd, Green Ridge, March 15th.

Beeswax wanted; cash paid for it at Kinports & Bro's grocery.

Town Caucus.

EVANS' HALL, February, 10, 1883.

Caucus of citizens of Bloomsburg, to nominate persons for the various offices of the town at the coming election.

E. R. Ikeler, Esq., elected president; G. W. Sterner and G. M. Quick, secretaries. John K. Grotz moved to nominate President of Town Council; Mr. Vanderslice moved to amend by nominating one person for School Director; Mr. G. A. Clark moved to amend the amendment of Mr. Vanderslice by nominating two persons for School Directors, there being two to be elected.

Proceeded to take the vote for and against the amendment to the amendment. Mr. Vanderslice and Mr. Clark appointed tellers to count the vote. Amendment to the amendment lost. Vote for the amendment of Mr. Vanderslice was 180 to 121. Proceeded to nominate School Director. On motion, Wm. Krickbaum, C. S. Furman and W. O. Holmes nominated, nominations closed. A motion was made that votes be cast by ballot. Messrs. Vanderslice and Clark appointed tellers. Vote against vote by ballot 193; for, 170.

Jas. C. Brown then withdrew the name of W. O. Holmes. Mr. Edgar moved that all those who were in favor of voting by ballot leave the room. Carried.

On motion Wm. Krickbaum was unanimously nominated for School Director. On motion proceeded to nominate one person for President of Town Council. George A. Herring unanimously nominated. Proceeded to nominate Town Council. On motion, old Board, Wm. Rabb, Geo. Hassert and Clinton Sterling were unanimously nominated. The names of M. E. Cox, A. Herbein, W. W. Barrett and M. C. Woodward were presented for constables. A motion was made that none but Democrats be allowed to vote. Lost. Woodward and Herbein nominated. Thomas Webb was unanimously nominated for Assessor. Henry Rosenstock unanimously nominated for Judge of Election, East district. W. W. Barrett, unanimously nominated Judge of Election, West district. William Rodamoyer nominated for Inspector, West district. John Penman, nominated for Inspector, East district. Adjourned.

Township tickets printed at this office for 50cts. a hundred. Orders by mail accompanied with the cash, promptly filled. See that all names are plainly written and properly spelled.

Court Proceedings.

Petition for road in Greenwood township, near H. J. Robbins' and Nehemiah Wellivers'. John M. Smith and Cyrus Demott appointed viewers.

FEBRUARY 10th, 9 a. m.

Frederick Derr vs. Cleas Dodson. On motion judgment stricken off.

Commonwealth vs. John Keller, on motion warrant ordered for defendant to be brought in to be sentenced.

Commonwealth vs. —— Breech. Recognizance forfeited.

Commonwealth vs. W. J. Fress. Recognizance forfeited.

Commonwealth vs. Simon Long. Recognizance forfeited.

Commonwealth vs. W. Krick. Recognizance forfeited.

Estate of William Webb. Rule granted. Heirs to come in and accept or refuse at appraisement.

Estate of Samuel H. Hutchison. Partitions awarded and petitions filed.

Estate of Ruth Ann Thomas. Return of inquest. Confirmed nisi.

Road in Franklin township near A. Lohrman's. Daniel Morris, Benjamin Wagner and Samuel Camp appointed viewers, the former view being set aside.

MONDAY 12th, 2 p. m.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Krickbaum. Court sentenced defendant to pay a fine of $25 and costs of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary for one year, by separate or solitary confinement.

Commonwealth vs. R. A. Suner. Sentence of Court is to pay a fine of $50 and costs of prosecution, and undergo imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary for the, term of one year and six months; and in another case sentence is a fine of $35 and costs of prosecution, and one year in the Eastern Penitentiary. Said term to begin immediately after the termination of the former case.

Estate of Abram Force. Citation awarded for administrator to file account.

Fishing With Outlines not Unlawful.

We publish below the opinion of the Court delivered in the case of Commonwealth vs. David Hollingshead, B. F. Dolman prosecutor, for illegal fishing. The verdict rendered by the jury found Mr. Hollingshead guilty. A motion for arrest of judgment was made by Mr. H's counsel and the hearing took place on January 13th, last. The following is the Judge's decision in the matter:

Commonwealth against David Hollingshead. Motion in arrest of Judgment.

OPINION OF THE COURT.

The first count in the indictment charges that the defendant "did unlawfully and willfully, in the waters of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to wit: a stream of water called the Susquehanna river; place a permanently set means of taking fish, by then and there anchoring in the bottom of said stream a certain device, commonly called an outline, contrary to the act of Assembly."

The jury have found the defendant guilty. Reasons in arrest of judgment have been filed: *First*, That the count charges no offense under the law; *Second*, That it does not set forth the kind or character of the permanent set means of taking fish, nor define what an outline is, or how, or in what manner it is such means.

The indictment was intended to be for the violation of the 22d section of the Act of June 3, 1878, digest 2, 128, which enacts as follows: "It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to place any fish-baskets, gill-nets, pond-nets, eel-weirs, kiddles, brush or fascine nets, or any other permanently set means of taking fish, in any of the waters of this Commonwealth; any person violating the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty of $25,00 for each offense." The verdict has found what the indictment charges, that an outline anchored to the bottom of the stream is a permanent set means of taking fish, but the question still remains whether it is such a means, or is prohibited by the statute. If the Act had prohibited the placing of any permanently set means of taking fish within the waters of the Commonwealth, without more, the question in each case of an alleged violation of the law would have been whether the device employed was of that character; but here the words "any other permanently set means of taking fish" are preceded by several specifically mentioned methods of taking fish, which methods are declared to be unlawful. It is a well established rule of construction, that if general words follow an enumeration of particular acts, they are to be held to apply only too cases of a like kind with those enumerated. [Cites authorities.] Many instances might be given of the application of this rule; a reference to two or three, however, will suffice for illustration. Where a statute employed the words, "wherry, lighter, or other craft," the word "craft" was held not to include a steam-tug; because, although a steam-tug is a "craft," yet it is not the same character as a wherry or lighter. In construing a statute which enacted that no "tradesman, artificer, or other person whatsoever" should exercise his ordinary calling on the Lord's day, it was held that the phrase "other person" did not include a farmer, who was not a person of like denomination with those persons particularly mentioned. (*King vs. Whitmarsh*, 7 *Brownwell and Cresswell, Eng. Com. Law Rep.*) In another case, where a statute provided that "if any person haul or draw upon any turnpike road any timber, stones, or other thing" otherwise than upon carriages therein described, he should be subject to a penalty of forty shillings, it was held that the other thing, to come within the prohibition, must be of the same nature with timber or stone—calculated to do the same mischief to the road, [Cites authority.] In *King vs. Whitmarsh*, above cited, it was remarked by *Baker*, Justice, that if *all* persons were meant, there was no need of a specific enumeration; the same reason applies with full force to this case—if the Legislature intended to prohibit all permanently set means, there was no occasion for their mentioning wears and nets. It is manifest that the drafter of the Act had in his mind only weirs or other devices of like kind, forming (to a greater or less extent) obstruction to the passage of fish in the stream—"wingwalls" drawing th eir course to a basket, from which after entering there is no escape, "nets" so constructed as to entangle the fish in their meshes when attempting to migrate from one point to another, and other "nets" so arranged in a stream as to take the fish by reason of their entering the wide mouth thereof, and going thence into smaller sections or apartments from which they cannot escape—and that having mentioned these, from fear that his enumeration did not embrace all the devices of this kind, he added the words "and all other permanently set means."

An "outline" is no doubt a term well understood among fishermen as a permanently set means of taking fish, but it is not set forth in the indictment that an outline is either a weir, a basket, a net, a kiddle, or a device of the same kind or character with any of these.

The verdict finds that an outline is a permanently set means of taking fish, but that is not sufficient to bring it under the ban of the Act. It ought to appear in the indictment (by some sort of description other than the name) that it belongs to the same class with the devices prohibited specifically; without such description the charge is incomplete. If the outline had been more particularly described, and alleged to be such a device as those prohibited in the statute, I am now of opinion (contrary to my first impression) that the prohibition does not extend to an instrument or device of this sort—said to be a cord or line having fastened to it short lines, with baited fishhooks at the ends of these lines, a yard or more apart, and floating down stream; the cord, which is placed in the water, being fastened at the ends, and the fish caught in the mouth by the hook when attempting to get the bait.

If this description had been embodied in the indictment, it would have shown upon its face that the set means used by the defendant had no kinship with the enumerated structures and things mentioned in the Act. We think the mode of fishing practiced by the defendant ought to be prohibited by Act of Assembly, but, until that is done in a manner to remove all doubt, we are compelled to hold that it is not indictable.

To prevent misapprehension, it is proper to state that if any bass, pike, or pickerel are caught in other manner than with rod, hook and line, the person catching them is liable to a penalty.

And now, February 5th, 1883, judgment arrested.

BY THE COURT.

In Dallas county, Texas, lives J. L. Shirley, who is probably the only man in the United States who has used greenbacks for gunwadding. He went duck hunting with $300 in currency in his pocket, and not having any gunwads, he used paper in loading. He became so engrossed with the sport that he forgot all about his currency, and had shot about $50 of his wad before he discovered his mistake. He, however, killed thirty-seven ducks. Which cost him a trifle over $1.25 each.

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MARRIAGES

KIRKENDALL—CONNER.—At the home of the bride's parents in Centre township, Columbia county, February 8th, 1883, by Rev. C. K. Canfield, Mr. Wm. H. Kirkendall, of Nescopeck, Luzerne county, Pa., to Miss Mattie L. Conner of Centre.

DEATHS.

POUST.—In Orange township, on the 7th inst, Daniel Poust, aged 83 years, 9 months and 26 days.

LOCAL NOTICES.

I. W. Hartman & Son sell more glassware than any other house in the county.

5 cts a yard for good, and 6 cts a yard for the best dark dress calicoes at Lutz & Sloan's.

The white decorated dishes are going off fast, at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

99999 Pounds Good Pork.
9999 Good Live Calves.
999 Good Live Shoats, in weight: 30, 35, 40, 50 to 60 pounds.
99 Good Young Beeves.
999 Bushels Good Cloverseed.
9999 Bushels Good Potatoes.
99999 Pounds Dried Apples.
99999 Pounds Dried Raspberries, pitted cherries and lard.

All of the above wanted at Light Street by Silas Young.
Dec. 22-3m

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USEFUL IN THE FAMILY.

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This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10 cts. and $1.00. If your Lungs are sore, Chest, or Back, Lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cts. Sold by J. H. Kinports. may 5 eow

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*If you are a woman and would contribute your influence to redeem humanity from its numberless ills, make all things else subordinate to health. If you possess this inestimable treasure you may transmit the same and your offspring may rise up and call you blessed. To secure this it will be well to seek the motherly countenance of Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

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Jan. 26, '83-3m. Passaic, N. J.

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MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.00
Rye "	.80
Corn, "	.60
Oats " "	.45
Flour per barrel	6.40
Cloverseed	5.50
Butter	.32
Eggs	.24
Tallow	.08
Potatoes	.50
Dried Apples	.06
Hams	.14
Sides & Shoulders	12½
Chickens	.10
Turkeys	.12
Lard per pound	.14
Hay per ton	16 00
Beeswax	.25
Buckwheat flower per 100	3.00

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF

COLUMBIA COUNTY

FROM

JAN. 2nd, 1882, to JAN. 1st, 1883.

Statement showing taxes assessed and balance still due.

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED. County Tax.	ASSESSED. Dog Tax.	ASSESSED. State Tax.	STILL DUE. County.	STILL DUE. Dog.
*Beaver	$ 582 61	$73 50	$12 60	$ *	$ *
Benton	890 59	62 50	8 60	565 61	55 00
Berwick	1092 22	54 50	194 15	1578 77	184 50
*Bloom	1272	124 00	*	*	*
Briarcreek	1215 54	77 00	9 30	708 40	77 05
*Catawissa	1761 84	67 50	86 32	*	*
Centralia	372 90	50	7 05	596 16	50
Centre	1047 25	78 50	40 30	960 73	78 50
Conyngham	2488 23	9 00	50	282 0	9 00
Fishingcreek	1101 19	82 00	31 05	816 39	92 00
*Franklin	1844 79	41 00	10 30	*	*
Greenwood	1235 10	83 50	49 93	884 14	84 00
Hemlock	1004 72	49 00	5 50	909 60	49 00
*Jackson	274 88	50 50	2 90	*	*
Locust	1195 94	117 00	34 55	404 22	118 50
Madison	993 53	72 00	23 75	789 75	72 00
Main	604 46	43 00	22 35	248 19	43 00
Mifflin	1022 33	64 00	15 85	229 46	62 00
*Montour	1850 61	140 50	120 06	1119 77	140 00
Mt. Pleasant	605 64	54 50	59 85	993 85	56 50
Orange	851 48	57 50	47 86	139 01	57 50
Pine	1083 90	54 00	4 37	163 40	58 00
Roaringcreek	401 30	46 00	9 42	76 80	4 600
Scott	1399 69	69 50	99 25	526 51	69 50
Sugarloaf	365 41	57 50	75	56 47	57 50
	$276 64 01	1475 50	791 45	1641 28	117050

Amount due for years previous to 1882.

Districts	Collectors	Yr		Dog
Benton	B G Kase	1881		$ 35 00
Bloom	M Knorr	"	599 90	77 50
Greenwood	J G Girton		4 50	*
Hemlock	Wm F Foust		96 87	90 00
Bloom	Reuben Harris	18	816 26	83 00
			$1650 91	$315 50

A. M. JOHNSON, Treasurer of Columbia county, in account with said county on county funds. Jan. 2nd, 1882.

To amt. uncollected prior to 1882	$13,565 61
" amt. on hand at last settlement	4,135 65
" County tax assessed in '82	27,634 01
To tax on registry of voters	96 55
" added tax Greenwood dup. for '81	4 50
" A B Herring old plank	5 22
" John Lore old bridge near Shoemaker's mill	3 10
To D. R. Coffman rent for old jail	31 65
" the town of Bloomsburg rent for old jail stable	90 50
To F. W. Sones tax exonerated and since paid to Treasurer	90
To J G Girton tax exonerated and since paid to Treasurer	55
To H C Nagle old cistern pump	1 00
" Ephraim Parks shovel	50
" county tax on unseated lands	1,143 04
" county tax on seated lands	83 52
" road tax on unseated lands	904 57
" road tax on seated lands	84 17
" school tax on unseated lands	1,120 01
" school tax on seated lands	99 97
" poor tax on unseated lands	440 29
" poor tax on seated lands	44 38
" special road tax on unseated lands	910 17
" special road tax on seated lands	1 80
" special school tax on unseated lands	46 35
" special poor tax on unseated lands	$77 00
" special poor tax on seated lands	1 10
" Harner and Jester deed held by Commissioners redeemed	5 97
To Henry Yaple deed held by Commissioners redeemed	4 62
To Samuel Bogart deed held by Commissioners redeemed	7 46
To John Rantz deed held by Commissioners redeemed	7 10
To John Bogart deed held by Commissioners redeemed	11 96
To Marr and Kindig deed held by Commissioners redeemed	2 29
To a lded tax Briarcreek duplicate '81	35
" amt. received from sale of lands sold by Commissioners	704 93
To amount received from State fund	162 67
" amt. received from dog fund	860 00
" Marshall Moore old stove	1 00
" Wm Hulme old bridge Cole's creek near A Cole's mill	6 00
To Daniel Ohl old plank	2 60
" U H Ent costs paid on writs	2 50
" Wm Krickbaum jury fees	64 00
" seated land tax since distribution	3 58
" unseated land tax since distribution	198 72
" amt. to meet sum paid state for quota charged on coupons '81	9 00
	$51,805 48

CR.

By commissioners, exonerations and returns allowed collectors for '82 and previous years.

Districts. 1882	Com.	Ex.	Districts. 1881	Com.	Ex.
Beaver	$28 56	$15 12	Mifflin	$51 18	$5 72
Bloom	195 01	64 90	Montour	41 53	2 92
Catawissa	87 29	17 92	Mt Pleasant	30 64	2 29
Franklin	27 15	1 65	Orange	41 53	9 49
Jackson	13 48	5 22	Pine	18 84	12 68
1881			Roaringcr'k	20 27	1 65
Berwick	71 64	29 36	Scott	69 10	11 32
Briarcreek	59 86	8 70	Sugarloaf	22 06	24 22
Catawissa	85 01	12 56	1880		
Centralia	62 97	56 51	Berwick	83 56	70 81
Centre	81 88	12 51	Centralia	71 24	76 48
Conyngham	39 15	46 44	Hemlock	59 93	8 88
Fishingcreek	55 40	3 84	1879		
Greenwood	60 25	16 56	Briarcreek	67 29	9 92
Jackson	13 75	2 20	Centralia	72 48	81 03
Locust	59 87	10 65	Centre	98 07	38 40
Madison	49 45	8 27	1878		
Main	30 09	7 90	Greenwood	69 59	17 25
				$1,538,93	692.52

By total commissions	$1,838 92
By total exonerations and returns	692 52
By county orders redeemed	34,945 65
By amount due from collectors	9,291 49
By amount to meet sum paid State for quota charged on coupons	10 00
By commission to Treasurer	1,048 36
By balance in hands of Treasurer	3,978 54
	$51,805 48

A M. JOHNSON, Treasurer in account with Dog Fund.

January 2, '82, to amt. due at last settlement	$1,803 02
To amt. assessed in '82	1,415 50

Protection for the Insane.

THE BILL PROPOSED BY THE BOARD OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS.

From the Pittsburg Telegraph.

The special commissioners appointed by Governor Hoyt to inquire into the treatment of the insane in the State, have reported a bill to the Legislature. The bill creates a Central Board, to have supervision over places where insane persons are under treatment said board to be composed of the Board of Public Charities and three additional members, appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be a member of the bar, and another a physician, both of ten years' standing and practice. In consultation with the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and the Attorney-General the Committee on Lunacy is to act as a licensing board. All pay places, where insane patients are treated, must take out license under regulations prescribed by this committee for the conduct and control of such establishments. The committee have power to enforce their regulations by suspending the license upon disregard of their rules, and such withdrawal of license lays the offending parties open to a charge of misdemeanor; and any institution of the kind that fails to take out a license commits a misdemeanor. Actions for damages can also be brought against them. Medical records and "case books" are to be kept in such establishments, with weekly and other periodic records and notes, thus preventing inmates of long standing from going out of sight.

An important section of the bill is that which requires one notice of the fact to be mailed to the Committee of Lunacy and another to the secretary of the Board of Visitors for the county within forty-eight hours after the admission of a patient into any such establishment. The committing physicians must be medical practitioners of five years' practice, and their certificate must be given within a week of the commitment. A medical practitioner, chosen by the patient or his family, and with the sanction of a judge of a court of record, shall have access to and visit the said "lunatic" at reasonable hours. Boards of Visitors for each county are to be appointed by the Committee of Lunacy, to act in conjunction with them. Women may serve on these boards. Every institution in the State that comes under the provision of this law is to be visited once a month by a county visitor or committee member; once in six months by a committee of three, one of whom must be of the Lunacy Committee, and once a year by a majority of the committee. Any such institution that does not take out a license or fails to comply with its provisions, is liable to the charge of misdemeanor. The act deals also with the criminal insane, and provides that such persons, when pronounced cured, shall be turned over to a place of custody and not discharged upon the community without legal release. The release of the Committee of Lunacy for all other cured cases is to be equivalant to, and, in the absence of release by the superintendents of such asylums, a sufficient discharge.

The Folly of the Day.

There is a dreadful ambition abroad for being "genteel." We keep up appearances too often at the expense of honesty; and though we may not be rich, yet we must seem to be "respectable," though only in the meanest sense—in mere vulgar show. We have not the courage to go paciently onward in the condition of life in which it has pleased God to call us; but must need live in some fashionable state, to which we ridiculously please to call ourselves, and all to gratify the vanity of that unsubstantial, genteel world, of which we form a part. There is a constant struggle and pressure for front seats, in the social amphitheatre; in the midst of which all noble self-denying resolve is trodden down, and many fine natures are inevitably crushed to death. What waste, what misery, what bankruptcy come from all this ambition to dazzle others with the glare of apparent worldly success we need not describe. The mischevious results show themselves in a thousand ways—in the rank frauds committed by men who dare to be dishonest, but do not care to seem poor; and in the desperate dashes at fortune, in which the pity is not so much for those who fail as for the hundreds of innocent families who are so often involved in the ruin. —*The Home Journal.*

No part of the farm is better worth careful attention than the woodland, and, as a rule none is so much neglected. Year by year lumber of all kinds is harder to find, and higher in price when found, and fire wood, excepting in the newer districts, is fast becoming a luxury, when on the farm. That this is true is owing largely to the extravagance, wastefulness and carelessness with which the woodland is treated. The farmer who has a hillside or back lot covered with trees, is to be envied his possession, and if he is wise, will bestow upon it care and attention equal, at least, to that given to the best of his arable land. As a source of fuel supply a few acres of woodland may be made to serve a farm for generations, by proper attention to selecting, and increase in value every year. Generally, when fire wood is wanted, a certain district is cut over, taking all that will burn, good, bad and indifferent, and the land is subsequently "cleared" and put under crop, or suffered to grow up again, with but little regard as to what grows, or how it grows. A better way is to carefully select from the whole area of wood land, such trees as from any cause are least adapted to any useful purpose excepting fire wood, or having arrived at full majority, are a hindrance to the growth of some fine, thrifty young hard wood sapling, which may stand near them. In addition to this, the trees left standing should all be carefully and neatly trimmed of all branches as high as can be reached with an axe from the ground, taking pains to leave a nice smooth stub, cut as short as may be, that it may readily heal over, and not injure the growth of the tree, nor leave a bad spot in the timber when it is cut for use at some future time. The brush may very advantageously be hauled out to the adjoining field, spread in a thin layer over the ground, and when dry, burned. This will prove an excellent and cheap way of giving the land a dressing of potash. A little care and thoughtfulness in connection with the woodland will be found very profitable.

One pint of corn and oats, half and half, twice a day is a full allowance for each sheep, unless you wish to fatten them for market.

A glue which will resist the action of water is made by boiling one pound of glue in two parts skimmed milk.

The farmer needs his vacation just as much as any man of business needs one.

Hens in Confinement.

[Correspondent Poultry Monthly.

I have had an average of sixty Plymouth Rock fowls that have laid in six months time 5663 eggs, an average of 94 eggs per hen, and 19 of them were set during the time. They have never been out of their pens since I put them in in November, and they never wait until they go to the block to have their heads cut off. They are divided into flocks of 20, each flock having 100 square feet of yard room. I have had flocks of 20 and 40 that had free yard range, but never could get so high an average as when kept yarded in flocks of 20. The cost of keeping was less, and the number of eggs much less, when they had their liberty. I cannot give the cost of keeping, as 185 little chickens were fed from the same grain bins. My flock consisted of just fifty hens in July, and they have laid 910 eggs during the month, which I think is good evidence that confinement agrees with them. They are provided with all the green food they can eat, and are given a few ground beef scraps daily, but never any milk. The chickens hatched by the nineteen hens were divided among thirteen hens, nine of which began laying when the chickens were three weeks old, and weaned them a few days later, evidently thinking it was better business to help fill the bread basket than brooding young chickens. As I manage my laying hens, it makes me a good deal of hard work, but the profit is large, which suits me better than little work and little pay.

Warm Slops Indispensible.

I like ground feed for young pigs, and warm slop in winter I consider indispensible for their growth, but I find that it is easy to make slop by fermentation summer or winter, which I believe to be just as good as if cooked. To make this fermented food right, requires two barrels, as in the summer it is in danger of becoming too sour, and in the winter fermentation is slow. I have often seen pigs fed in summer from a barrel of slop as sour as vinegar, and which must have been hurtful to them, and nothing is more common to see them fed icy slop in winter. In the summer one barrel should be emptied each day; if you have hogs enough to eat only a half barrel mix that amount to-day for to-morrow's feed, and so alternate from day to day and your slop will never become too acid.

At the beginning of winter, pack two barrels in sawdust, so as to keep them from freezing, mix-up slop in them and take a kettle of boiling water, raise the temperature to 100 degrees, and cover with an old carpet. In about twenty-four hours a mild fermentation will begin, and by filling first one barrel and then the other you can always have warm slop slightly fermented.—*Farmers' Advance.*

A Column of Seasonable Items.

Wheat bran and oilcake meal make one of the very best feeds for a milch cow.

No man or boy is fit to handle animals unless he control them and control himself.

Those who keep their fows warm during cold weather have eggs for sale at high prices.

In order to have healthy cows it is essential that we have good food, pure air, pure water, light and comfort.

An experienced farmer recommends that oats be soaked sufficiently to swell them before feeding to stock.

Ground oats or whole oats, is fairly good feed for adult fowls, and may be given as part of the daily rations.

With every care, and buying much manure, American farmers find it difficult to keeping their farms in good condition.

Fowls that go to roost with full crops on a cold night will be apt to suffer less from cold than with empty crops.

Study the cow's comfort, if you want her to do well for you. The return to the owner will be in proportion to the care she gets.

Charred corn is one of the best things which can be fed to hens to make them lay, not as a regular diet, but in limited quantities each day.

Don't treat your fowls as you do tramps, and limit them to "cold victuals" during the cold weather. Give them a hot breakfast every morning.

While the barn should be well ventilated, the ventilation should not be secured by means of loosely boarded stables or broken glass in the windows.

When rainy, snowy, or disagreeable days come, the spare muscle can be employed in the wood-shed, in preparing a supply of stove wood for summer use.

Buying wheat bran and cotton seed meal for feeding milch cows, in connection with fodder grown on the farm, is one method of buying fertilizers for the soil

The farmer's horse is not used for fast work and it is the exception now when brought to a sweat, and for that reason he should be blanketed until he cools down.

Keep the poultry busy if you wish to keep them in good health, and make them scratch if you wish for eggs; but keep them quiet and well fed if you wish to make them fat.

The universal experience of farmers is that manures drawn in the fall and spread on the surface produce a better effect on the succeeding crop than if left until Spring before drawing.

No practical dairyman will deny that the most ordinary herd of native cows, if intelligently fed, will be more profitable than the choicest breeds kept in cold barn, and fed on marsh hay and straw.

It will not do to use corn as an exclusive diet for fowls. If half their food is corn it is probably a sufficient proportion. The other half should be of other grains, and meat, bones, scraps, vegetables, etc.

The men who bought the Philadelphia exhibition building for $97,000 have sold the iron alone for enough to much more than repay the investment, and will clear about $350,000 on the speculation.

Diphtheria and measles are prevalent at Wilkesbarre to an alarming extent.

Governor Pattison has granted Uriah Moyer (one of the principal agents in the killing of John Kintzler and wife in 1877) until March 5th on request of the judge who tried the case and other parties.

COMMIC COMENTS.

Last words of Webster: Zythepsary zythum.—*Toronto Grip.*

J P. Zimmerman, Spruce Creek, Pa., says: "I have thoroughly tested Brown's Iron Bitters and consider it equal to any emergency."

Floral: Apropos of the "Language of Flowers," how would forget me not do to send to a rich relation?—*The Judge.*

On the question of the next potato crop the eyes have it.—*Lowell Courier.* On the question of the onion crop the nose will have it.—*Boston Advertiser.*

Judge Tourgee says the live man is always to be found in front. In funeral processions, down here in Texas, we have noticed that the remains were in front, and the live men came straggling along behind.—*Texas Siftings.*

A cable despatch that "a mine was discovered in a street in moscow, Russia," was headed by an innocent journalistic head-writer as "A Bonanza in Moscow"—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Should and does: "Who shall decide when doctors disagree?" We don't know who should, but we know the undertaker generally does.—*Puck.*

Journalistic: Some of the manuscript offered to printers is so bad that it ought first to be sent to the house of correction, with its author.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A curious fact: There are still a few persons at large who will invest their money in mining stock in preference to investing it id a dog and shooting the dog.—*Cincinnatti Enquirer.*

A soft answer: "My dear," said a husband to his wife, "what kind of a stone do you think they will give me when I am gone?" She answered cooly "Brimstone, John."—*Newport News.*

Love in the Northwest: A Wisconsin man bit off the lobe of his wife's ear. He says he did it in fun, but it is suspected that he had promised her a set of diamond ear-rings, and knew no other way of getting out of his dilemma. —*Boston Transcript.*

An outrage: A shabby looking customer came into *Texas Siftings* office and asked us to sign a petition to have himself appointed on the police force, saying that the legislature had ruined his business. "What was your business, and how did the Legislature ruin it?" "I kept one of the most flourishing gambling rooms in Austin and the Legislators broke it up by adjourning and going home."—*Texas Siftings.*

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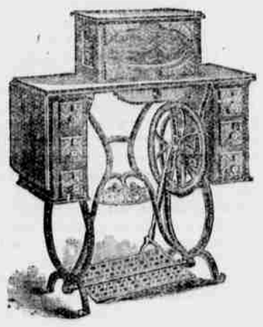

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Fast Line leaves New York 8.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.05 a. m.; Washington, 9.30 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.20 p. m.; Washington, 9.50 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 6.30 a. m., with through Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

SUNBURY, HAZLETON & WILKES-BARRE RAILROAD AND NORTH & WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

Mail East leaves Sunbury 6.45 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 7.41 a. m., Wilkes-barre 9 20 a. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.31 p. m., Wilkes-barre 8 10 p. m.

Mail West leaves Wilkes-barre 10.30 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 12 08 p. m., Sunbury 1.05 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 5 30 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 7 07 p. m, Sunbury 8.05 p. m.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Passenger Agent.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

June 26, 1882.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS(SUNDAY EXCEPTED.

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,45 a. m

For Catawissa, 11,45 a. m. 4 26 and 7,20 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,15 8,50 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, via. Tamanend 9,00 a